1. Sentencing
   1. Incapacitation
      1. “Lock them up.”
2. Won’t be committing any more crime
3. Society is safe
4. “Warehousing”
   1. Deterrence
      1. Teach criminal a lesson
      2. Discourage others from committing crime
   2. Rehabilitation
      1. Help criminal become a law-abiding member of society
         1. Psychological counseling
         2. Drug rehabilitation
         3. Job training
      2. Not popular with elected officials because it costs taxpayer money
   3. Retribution
      1. “Get back at the criminal.”
      2. Calls for society to punish the criminal because he/she needs to be punished.
      3. Society feels better and reinforces the concept of punishment
   4. Restoration
      1. Concept of community justice
      2. Criminal needs to repair the trust of the community
         1. Example: speeding driver gets assigned to work with adults who were injured in high-speed accidents
         2. Speaking at assemblies about crime and consequences
5. Determining Sentence
   1. Judges examine convict’s background
   2. Probation officer assigned to supervise and compile a presentence report
      1. Basic facts:
         1. age
         2. employment history
         3. family background
         4. psychological makeup
         5. willingness to cooperate
      2. Include victim’s statements and testimony
   3. Judge is free to use/not use information in determining the sentence
   4. Must comply with state laws regarding time served
      * 1. Mandatory minimums: sentences that a judge must impose by law in certain criminal cases
6. Three Strikes Laws
7. Often used with drug crimes
8. Argument is that they result in crowded prisons
9. Sentencing Options
   1. Incarceration: confinement to jail or prison
   2. Indeterminate Term
      1. Range of time (e.g. 5-10 years)
      2. Allows prisoners who behave and make an effort to become good citizens a chance to get out sooner (parole)
   3. Determinate Sentences: specific amount of time
   4. Probation: stay out of jail provided rules are followed
   5. Restitution: pay for property damage
   6. Community service: orange suits
   7. Suspend sentence: free as long as criminal stays out of trouble
   8. Prison
   9. Capital punishment